

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. IWAYAMA et al. Confirmation No. : 9044
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For: A METHOD OF SEARCHING DOCUMENTS AND A SEVICE
FOR SEARCHING DOCUMENTS
Group: 2165
Examiner: N. Abel-Jalil

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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December 15, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2008, setting a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 23, 2008, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in light of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.